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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-003061**Date Inspected:** 03-Jun-2008**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 1400**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 2330**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name:	N/A			CWI Present:	Yes	No	
Inspected CWI report:	Yes	No	N/A	Rod Oven in Use:	Yes	No	N/A
Electrode to specification:	Yes	No	N/A	Weld Procedures Followed:	Yes	No	N/A
Qualified Welders:	Yes	No	N/A	Verified Joint Fit-up:	Yes	No	N/A
Approved Drawings:	Yes	No	N/A	Approved WPS:	Yes	No	N/A
				Delayed / Cancelled:	Yes	No	N/A

Bridge No: 34-0006**Component:** OBG/Tower**Summary of Items Observed:**

CALTRANS Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Erik Prue was present for the fabrication scheduled for this project at the ZPMC facility in Shanghai, China for the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge.

Tower Bay 2: QA Inspector performed ultrasonic (UT) verification testing of the tower skin and stiffener plate Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) butt joints after ZPMC QC UT acceptance. Plates QA UT tested are ESD1 SA237A/F- 24A, ESD1 237A/F-25A, ESD1 SA77A/E 45A, and ESD1 SA294A/G-12A. QA Ultrasonic Testing (UT) was performed to verify that 10% of the weld meets the requirements of the contract documents and AWS D1.5-2002. The weld and base metal were scanned utilizing a Krautkramer Branson USN 60 #01RN5T. QA Inspector performed a base metal lamination check using a 25mm diameter 2.25 MHz transducer and a shear wave scan using a 20mm x 15mm 2.25 MHz transducer on a 70, 60, and 45 degree angle wedges from face A. For details please see the ultrasonic testing report TL-6027 dated 03 June, 2008. QA Inspector found the welds inspected to be in compliance with AWS D1.5- 2002 Table 6.3 and the contract documents.

OBG Bay 3: QA Inspector performed ultrasonic (UT) verification testing of Side Plate I-Beam Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) Butt joints after ZPMC Quality Control (QC) acceptable UT inspection on I-Beams welds. I-Beam welds QC UT inspected and QA verified this day are SP180-001-019 & 020, SP182-001-019 & 020, SP179-001-019 & 020, SP183-001-019 & 020, SP178-001-050 & 051, and SP181-001-050 & 051. ZPMC QC UT inspection (12 welds) represented a lot inspection of a minimum of 25% of the total number of welds (38) available for inspection this day. QA UT verification was performed to verify that 10% of the weld meets the requirements of the contract documents and AWS D1.5-2002. The weld and base metal were scanned utilizing a

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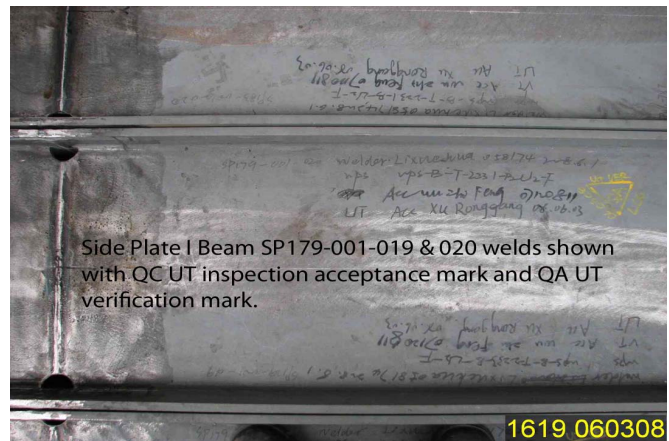
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Krautkramer Branson USN 60 #01RN5T. QA Inspector performed a base metal lamination check using a 25mm diameter 2.25 MHz transducer and a shear wave scan using a 20mm x 15mm 2.25 MHz transducer on a 70 degree angle wedge from face A. For details please see the ultrasonic testing report TL-6027 dated 03 June, 2008. QA Inspector found the welds inspected to be in compliance with AWS D1.5- 2002 Table 6.3 and the contract documents.

QA Inspector reviewed ABF and ZPMC QC accepted radiographic (RT) film for edge plate complete joint penetration (CJP) welds. Radiographic film for welds reviewed were; EP021-001-001, EP054-001-017, EP042-001-001, EP037-001-001, and EP028-001-001. RT film for bottom plate welds appear to be acceptable to AWS D1.5 (2002) and special provisions. For details please see radiographic film report TL-6029 dated 03 June, 2008.



Side Plate I Beam Complete Joint Penetration Butt welds 191 Beams shown containing 38 welds. QC Inspected 25% of total number of welds as a lot inspection.



Summary of Conversations:

No significant conversations this day.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Patrick Lowry, 858 344-2712, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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